Electronic telephone exchanges in NER

3825. SHRI O.T. LEPCHA: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) the details of electronic telephone exchanges set up in the North Eastern Region during the last three years, State-wise;

(b) the details of the electronic telephone exchanges proposed to be set up in NER particularly in the State of Sikkim during the year 2007-08, State-wise; and

(c) the details of funds allotted for this purpose by the Government, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD): (a) Details of electronic telephone exchanges set up in North Eastern Region State-wise during the last three years are given in Statement-I (*See* below).

(b) and (c) Details of electronic telephone exchanges proposed to be set up in North Eastern Region during the year 2007-08 and funds allotted for this purpose is given in Statement-II (*See* below). There is no electronic telephone exchange proposed to be set up in Sikkim during 2007-08.

Statement-I

Details of Electronic Telephone Exchanges set up in North Eastern Region

NE-I Circle

State	Location/Name of Exchange		
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
Meghalaya	1. Kharkutta 2. Lawbah 3. Mendel 4. Umden 5. Malankona 6. Forest Colony	1. Laska	1. Neigrihms 2. Nongtalang 3. Police Bazar
Tripura	1. Salgarh 2. Golaghat		

	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07
	3. Khumwlong		
	4. Bodhjungnagar		
	NE-II Circle		
Arunachal Pradesh			1. Kimi
Manipur	1. Chakpikarong 2. Saitu Gamphajoi 3. Sugnu		
Nagaland	1. Phugoboto 2. Chakabama 3. Chunlika	1. Bhandari	
	Assam Circle		
Assam	1. Tilogi 2. Anandapara 3. Monoha	1. Goalpara 2. Gobradal 3. Dangtol 4. Makum Road 5. Tengapukhuri 6. Amhari 7. Singimari 8. Phuronaiti 9. Kujisatra 10. Gorajan 11. Sibpur 12. Kaptanpur	1. Naukhuti 2. Burgaon
	Sikkim		
Sikkim			Sherathang

Statement-II

Details of Electronic Telephone Exchanges proposed to be set up in North Eastern Region during the year 2007-08

State	Location/Name of Exchange	Funds Alloted
Tripura	Capital Complex	Rs. 45,18,000
Nagaland	R.K. Mission	Rs. 14,00,000

Promotion of investment in IT

†3826. SHRIMATI SUSHAMA SWARAJ: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.